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Plus Chemicals, B.V., as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the application for patent entitled **Process For Preparing Simvastatin Having Controlled Ranges of Simvastatin Dimer Content**, the specification of which was filed as U.S. Serial No. 10/777,535, on February 11, 2004, does hereby appoint Charles R. Brainard (Reg. No. 21,069), Patrick J. Birde (Reg. No. 29,770), Steven J. Lee (Reg. No. 31,272), John B. Starr, Jr. (Reg. No. 44,474), Siu K. Lo (Reg. No. 46,877), Payam Moradian (Reg. No. 52,048), Craig L. Puckett (Reg. No. 43,023), Dana Ziker (Reg. No. 54,567), Joseph A. Coppola (Reg. No. 38,413), Neil M. McCarthy (Reg. No. 43,435), W. David Wallace (Reg. No. 42,210), Amy L. Hulina (Reg. No. 41,556) and Zeba Ali (Reg. No. 51,392), as its attorneys/agents with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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